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For: CONCENTRATED AQUEOUS PHYTOPATHOLOGICAL FORMULATION COMPRISING A HERBICIDE AND A BETAINE

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# **SUBMISSION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS**

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. BOX 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 (form PCT/DO/EO/905), dated **December 15, 2005.** A copy of form PCT/DO/EO/905 is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby petitioned under 37 CFR §1.136(a) to grant a one-month extension of time needed for timely response to the Office Action in the above-identified application, and the Commissioner is authorised to charge Deposit Account. No. 18-1171 the amount of \$120.00 to cover the fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(a).

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**Submission of Missing Requirements** 

Please charge Deposit Account No. 18-1171 the amount of \$130.00 to cover the cost of this submission.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Copy of the Notice to File Missing Requirements



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## NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 07/23/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 07/23/2004
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 07/23/2004
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 07/23/2004
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 07/23/2004
- Oath or Declaration filed on 07/23/2004
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 07/23/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 07/23/2004
- Priority Documents filed on 07/23/2004

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.

 \$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR) 1.492(e)) is required.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

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• \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

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